# **RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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IN RE APPLICATION OF: PELRINE ET AL.

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FOR: MICROLABORATORY DEVICES AND METHODS

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	Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 (modified),				
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2. Entity Status

Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27) has been established by a previously submitted Small Entity Statement.

3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time, <u>if necessary</u>, for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.

4. Provisional Fee Authorization

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

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Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated October 22, 2003 in the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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